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Response to Office Action Dated 4/18/02

Dear Sir:

Responsive to the Official Action dated 4/18/02, kindly amend the subject application as follows:

Clean Version of Replacement Sections

In the Claims:

Please amend the claims as follows:

- A composition for topical application comprising polar hydrophilic salts mixed with non-polar unsaponifiables, said polar hydrophilic salts being the products of hydrolysis of a saponifiable fraction in the original organic materials, said original organic materials comprising at least 6 weight percent unsaponifiable materials prior to the hydrolysis of the organic materials.
- 2. The composition of claim 1 wherein said original organic materials were pre-treated prior to hydrolysis, said pre-treatment selected from the group of treatments

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